

Rites of Hajj

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The Meeqat (boundary) for the people of the Levant and Egypt is Al Juhfah, 186km from Makkah

The Meeqat (boundary) for the people of Madinah is Dhul Hulaifah 420km from Makkah

The Meeqat (boundary) for the people of Iraq is Dhatu 'Irq, 98km from Makkah

The Meeqat (boundary) for the people of Najd is Qarnul Manazil 99km from Makkah

The Meeqat (boundary) for the people of Yemen is Yalamlam, 99km from Makkah

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Ihram

(Making the intention to enter the pilgrimage)

Travellers by plane make their Ihram from the closest point of the Meeqat boundary in the air

Tawaf of Arrival

You walk before the two green flags, then you run quickly between them. This is only for men.

7 laps from the Black Stone back to the Black Stone

Beginning End

Walking between Safa and Marwah

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Staying the night at Mina

You pray Dhuhr, Asr, Maghrib and Isha there on day 8, as well as Fajr on day 9

Staying in Arafah

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It starts from Dhuhr on day 9 until Fajr on day 10
You pray Dhuhr and Asr there combined at Dhuhr time and shortened

Staying the Night at Muzdalifah

6

You pray Maghrib and Isha there combined and shortened on day 9, and Fajr on Day 10

Shaving or Shortening Hair

Shaving or shortening the hair is for men, and women shorten as much as a fingertip

Stoning the Aqabah pillar with 7 pebbles

7

Stoning the Jamarat (pillars) and staying the night in Mina

12

Day 11, 12 and 13 for whoever stays later

Tawaf Al-Ifadah

10

Walking between Safa and Marwah for the one performing Hajj Tumuttu' or whoever did not do it in the Tawaf of Arrival

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Farewell Tawaf

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It is not required for menstruating women or women with postnatal bleeding

- **The Pillars of Hajj:** Whoever leaves a pillar, then his pilgrimage will not be complete without it
- **The Obligations of Hajj:** Whoever leaves an obligation must make up for it by slaughtering a sacrificial animal

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